

# **ALICE 'S WONDERLAND BAKERY**

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## EXT. HEARTS PALACE - COURTYARD - DAY

1 ALICE (V.O.)  
"Pass the Crown."

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CARD GUARDS shuffle around carrying tables and chairs as ROSA (in PARTY DRESS) paces back and forth, nervous. ALICE (in PARTY DRESS), FERGIE and HATTIE approach.

2 ALICE  
Merry morning, Rosa. Has the Queen  
decided yet?

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The kids don't notice as the Guards set up a table and chairs around them. Rosa shakes her head. Fergie looks at his watch.

3 ROSA  
Nope. <GROAN>

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## FERGIE

But the royal banquet is tonight!

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HATTIE

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ROSA

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PULL BACK TO REVEAL - They're now all sitting at a completely set table. They look at each other, confused. Shrug.

INT. HEARTS PALACE - THRONE ROOM - SAME TIME

The QUEEN OF HEARTS paces thoughtfully as DAVID OF SPADES follows nervously behind her, parchment and quill at the ready. David opens his mouth. the Queen holds up her hand.

8	QUEEN OF HEART	8
	I must have complete silence to create the perfect menu. (beat, then) Hmm, what is today's wonderweather forecast?	
	David pantomimes being chilly.	
9	QUEEN OF HEARTS	9
	Don't just stand there. Speak up!	
10	DAVID OF SPADES	10
	It's a little chilly, your majesty.	
11	QUEEN OF HEARTS	11
	Then let's start with a nice warm soup. What veggies are in season? (leans in) Better yet, what kind of mood is everyone in today?	
12	DAVID OF SPADES	12
	Everyone's abuzz about the banquet.	
13	QUEEN OF HEARTS	13
	Abuzz you say? Hmm, perhaps a dish with Hopping Honey.	
The kids enter. Alice curtsies.		
14	QUEEN OF HEARTS (CONT'D)	14
	Alice! Just the baker I wanted to see. Ready to make a royal feast?	
15	ALICE	15
	Ready and waiting! Does that mean you've picked the menu?	
The kids look hopeful, then they slump at the Queen's answer.		
16	QUEEN OF HEARTS	16
	Of course not! Such an important decision can't be rushed. What do I always say?	
17	HATTIE	17
	Get those Mome Raths away from me?	
Fergie and David nod in agreement. Rosa, as if reciting:		
18	ROSA	18
	"A good ruler always does what's best for Wonderland."	

19 QUEEN OF HEARTS 19  
Sí, mija! Yes. And today that means  
picking the food for our feast.

Suddenly, the Queen stops short. David bumps into her.

20 DAVID OF SPADES/QUEEN OF HEARTS 20  
<IMPACT OOF>/A-ha! I have decided!  
For the first course...

ON THE KIDS - They lean in, eagerly.

21 JABBIE (O.S.) 21  
<YIPS, CHIRPS & PANTING>

JABBIE bursts in and leaps into the Queen's arms, knocking her off balance. Her crown goes flying.

QUICK CUTS - The flying crown. The kids watching it fly. The Queen reaching up to touch her bouffant.

PUSH IN on David. He closes his eyes, holds out a hand to catch it... but it lands on his head! He opens one eye.

David opens his other eye and reaches up to touch the crown.

24 DAVID OF SPADES 24  
Oh my Jacks and Jokers!

25 ALICE 25  
King David? What in Wonderland?

Rosa produces an old scroll, <BLOWS> dust off it and reads.

26 ROZA 26  
It's a royal rule. "Whomever wears  
the crown shall rule Wonderland."

27 DAVID OF SPADES  
27  
Me? Leader of the pack?! King of  
Wonderland?

28 FERGIE 28  
Whoa! Twist!

Hattie sidles up to the Queen.

29 HATTIE  
(stage whisper)  
Why dontcha just ask him to give  
the crown back?

The Queen is surprised at the suggestion!

31 ALICE  
(to David)  
Then I guess it's up to you to  
decide the menu for the banquet.  
Your, uh, card-li-ness.

David tosses aside the parchment and quill.

32 DAVID OF SPADES 32  
Banquet schmanquet! My first act as  
ruler will be to replace the red  
roses with my favorite flowers.  
<SIGHS> Daisies!

33 ALICE/FERGIE/HATTIE/ROSA/QUEEN OF HEARTS/JABBIE 33  
<GASP>/<YIP!>

34 DAVID OF SPADES 34  
Shuffle in and follow me!

The kids are bewildered but excited. They line up behind David along with the Queen and Jabbie and follow him to...

EXT. HEARTS PALACE - COURTYARD - MOMENTS LATER

David picks up a spade and heads for the nearest rosebush. He tries to dig it up but his spade gets stuck in the dirt.

35 DAVID OF SPADES 35  
<GRUNTS WITH EFFORT> Oh my spades!  
My spade is stuck!

Fergie and Hattie try to help. They all topple over. The crown goes flying.

36 FERGIE/HATTIE/DAVID OF SPADES 36  
Whooa! /Whoopsies! /<SILLY REACTION>

CLOSE ON: The crown flies through the air.

QUICK CUTS: Everyone looks up in awe, wondering where the crown will land. Finally, it lands on Jabbie's head.

37	JABBIE <HAPPY YIPS>	37
David reaches his arms up dramatically.		
38	DAVID OF SPADES Noooo! The monarchy was mine! I can't believe I folded!	38
39	FERGIE Can a pet be the leader?	39
Rosa and the Queen look at each other, shrug.		
40	ROSA There's no royal rule against it.	40
41	ALICE/FERGIE/HATTIE/ROSA/QUEEN OF HEARTS/DAVID OF SPADES All hail King Jabbie!	41
Jabbie wags his tail, happy but confused.		
42	JABBIE <"HUH?" YIP>	42
43	ALICE Um, your jabberwockiness? What should we eat at the royal banque--	43
Jabbie playfully rears up on his hind legs and holds a paw out gesturing for everyone to stop.		
44	JABBIE <"STAY" YIP>	44
45	ROSA I think he wants us to....stay?	45
46	JABBIE <HAPPY YIPS>	46
Jabbie moves his paw up and down, gesturing for them to sit.		
47	QUEEN OF HEARTS He would like us to sit. My Jabbie Wabbie's a natural born leader!	47
Everyone sits. Jabbie indicates for them to roll over.		

48 HATTIE 48  
Oo! I know this one! Roll over.

They do. Jabbie does a joyful flip...

49 JABBIE 49  
<HAPPY EXCITED YIPS>

...and loses the crown in mid-air. It falls around the head of a DRUM FROG who <RIBBITS> and hops into the bushes.

50 FERGIE 50  
All hail Queen Drum Frog-- Hey!  
Where'd she go?

ON the Queen and Jabbie - she cuddles him, unbothered.

51 QUEEN OF HEARTS/JABBIE 51  
Who was such a good ruler? You  
were! Yes, you were./<YIPS>

ON the kids - their excitement at a boil!

52 ALICE 52  
Let's see who the next leader will  
be. Follow the bouncing crown!

**EXT. WONDERLAND - VARIOUS LOCATIONS - CONTINUOUS**

As Alice, Fergie, Hattie and Rosa chase after the Drum Frog, Alice launches into an **ORIGINAL SONG: "FOLLOW THE LEADER"** about how they'll follow the new leader here, there and everywhere. As she sings, the frog drops the crown. Fergie trips on it. It flies up and lands on his head. He's so excited he hops up and fumbles the crown to Hattie. CAM pops up and the crown falls onto the JELLYJAM GEYSER. It flies off the geyser, rings around the topknot of a BROOM DOG and spins off, lands on Rosa! Rosa loses it to a pack of MOME RATHS who run back and forth with it, the kids in hot pursuit.

As the **SONG ENDS**, the crown bounces into a bubble and floats away. Hattie points after the bubbled crown.

53 HATTIE 53  
Hoppin' haberdashers. It's headed  
for my house!

**EXT. HATTIE'S HOUSE - HABERDASHERY - SOON**

The bubble (w/crown) floats into a window as Alice, Fergie, Hattie and Rosa enter Hattie's house.

**INT. HATTIE'S HOUSE - HABERDASHERY - CONTINUOUS**

THE MARCH HARE sorts through bolts of colorful fabric. The kids enter and look around as Harry greets them.

54 MARCH HARE 54  
A hi diddly hoo to you and you and  
you! And you too!

55 ALICE 55  
Hi, Harry! Have you seen a crown  
around?

56 MARCH HARE 56  
(nods)  
Sure as chiffon!

Harry pulls back a curtain revealing a wall of sparkly crowns including one with wings, one made of clarinets and a balloon crown. He shows them off and tosses them away in rapid fire.

57 MARCH HARE (CONT'D)  
Voila! I have crowns with bling.  
Crowns with wings. Coronets,  
clarinets, balloon crowns...

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58 ROZA 58  
Actually, we're looking for Mama's  
royal crown.

The bubble with the Queen's crown floats over Harry's head.

59 MARCH HARE 59  
That I haven't got.

<POP!> The crown lands on Harry. The kids bow/curtsy.

60 ALICE/HATTIE/FERGIE/ROSA 60  
All hail King--

MARCH HARE  
(raises a finger)  
Uh uh uh. Hold your hats, please.

He takes off the crown, dons a Marie Antionette-style wig and puts the crown back on.

62 MARCH HARE (CONT'D) 62  
Much better. You were saying--

63 ALICE/HATTIE/FERGIE/ROSA 63  
All hail King Harry!

Harry waves like he's won a pageant. He loves this game.

64 MARCH HARE  
Greetings, my royal subjects. Now  
what do I do?

65 ROSA  
Mama says a good ruler always does  
what's best for Wonderland.

66 ALICE  
And speaking of Wonderland, it's up  
to the ruler to decide the menu for  
tonight's Royal Banquet.

67 MARCH HARE  
The Royal Banquet. Let's see...

Alice is relieved as Harry seems to consider. Hattie gets a  
parchment and quill out from under his hat.

68 MARCH HARE (CONT'D)  
We'll make....a....proclamation!

69 HATTIE  
Does that go with ponzu sauce?

Harry tosses around different patterned fabrics as he speaks.

70 MARCH HARE  
Everyone may now wear polka dots  
and stripes and squiggles after the  
first of March!  
(like a cheering crowd)  
Har-ry! Har-ry! Har-ry!

71 FERGIE  
How is that best for Wonderland?

72 MARCH HARE  
As ruler, Wonderlanders will look  
up to me. And I look fabulous in  
polka dots and stripes and  
squiggles. I'll show you!

Harry zips off before Alice can stop him. Fergie takes out  
his watch, <THUMPS> his foot nervously.

73 FERGIE  
Alice, we're running out of time to  
make the food for the banquet!

Harry zips back in wearing a silly outfit incorporating polka  
dots, stripes and squiggles.

74	HATTIE Ooo you do look good in squiggles!	74
75	MARCH HARE (a la <i>merci beaucoup</i> ) Merci bowtie. Now to decide on the menu-Ew ew!	75
Harry gets a glimpse of himself in the mirror.		
76	ALICE What's wrong?	76
77	MARCH HARE It's all wrong! This crown does not go with this outfit. Ahh well, easy come, easy go!	77
He flings the crown out the window.		
78	ALICE/HATTIE/FERGIE/ROSA Nooooo!	78
79	ALICE Follow that crown!	79
The kids exit. Harry turns to the lobster mannequin.		
80	MARCH HARE You could use some squiggles, too!	80

**EXT. HATTIE'S HOUSE - CONTINUOUS**

The kids run outside and see the crown hovering in mid-air.

81	ROSA I've heard of high nobility but this is ridiculous!	81
82	CHESHIRE CAT (O.S.) Did someone say ridiculous?	82
CHESHIRE CAT fades in wearing the crown. The kids bow/curtsy.		
83	ALICE/ROSA/FERGIE/HATTIE All hail King Cheshire Cat!	83
84	ALICE As ruler, you have to pick the menu for tonight's royal banquet!	84

85 CHESHIRE CAT 85  
What a delicious opportunity. Pack  
my grin 'cause I'm moving in!

Cheshire tosses his grin at Fergie, who startles.

86 FERGIE 86  
Ah!

87 ALICE 87  
But the menu --

Cheshire fades away leaving only his grin.

88 CHESHIRE CAT 88  
See you at the palace, Alice.

His grin fades away. Alice looks concerned.

INT. HEARTS PALACE - THRONE ROOM - SOON

The kids burst in looking for Cheshire. He's already redecorated some of the awnings and columns in stripes.

89 FERGIE 89  
Looks like Cheshire's really made  
himself at home.

Cheshire (in crown) fades in, flying past the decorations.

90 CHESHIRE CAT 90  
I am a king of a certain stripe.

92 CHESHIRE CAT 92  
Gotta work up an appetite first. I  
know! We'll have an Off With Your  
Head Day.  
(fades to just his head)  
Everyone will take off their heads  
and play catch with them. Weee!

Cheshire's head twirls upside down and the crown falls off.

A PENCIL BIRD swoops in and flies away with the crown.

93 HATTIE 93  
That's happening an awful lot  
today.

<BRRRING!> Fergie's watch goes off.

94	FERGIE Whiskers. It's time for the banquet!	94
<p>Alice looks out the window - WONDERLAND EXTRAS from FISHFOLK to CATERPILLARS mingle / sit at the tables in the courtyard.</p>		
95	ALICE Everyone in Wonderland is here!	95
96	HATTIE And there's no dinner!	96
97	ROSA We'd better go tell Mama that the banquet is off.	97

**INT. HEARTS PALACE - DINING ROOM - SOON**

The Queen folds napkins into intricate origami shapes.

98	QUEEN OF HEARTS <HUMS TO HERSELF HAPPILY>	98
<p>The kids burst in to the dining room.</p>		
99	ROSA Mama, we need to-- did you fold all these napkins yourself?	99
100	QUEEN OF HEARTS You'd be amazed at what you can do with a little free time. (excited to share) I also climbed Tulgey Peak! The north slope, the south slope and the slippery slope!	100
101	FERGIE/HATTIE Impressive!/That's a lotta slopes!	101
102	QUEEN OF HEARTS All that hiking's made me hungry as a Hatter! I can't wait for the royal banquet.	102
103	ALICE About that. We have to call it off.	103



INT. HEARTS PALACE - KITCHEN - MOMENTS LATER

David, Cheshire, Harry, Rosa, Fergie, Hattie and Jabbie look at Alice expectantly. She holds paper and quill.

113 ROSA 113  
Okay, your Aliceness. What's on the  
menu?

114 ALICE 114  
Oh, I'm not picking the menu.

Everyone looks confused. Alice puts the crown on David.

115 ALICE (CONT'D) 115  
King David, let's start with the  
first course.

116 DAVID OF SPADES 116  
It's chilly today. So how about...a  
nice warm watercress soup?

Alice writes it down. She nods to David to pass the crown down to Jabbie. Jabbie looks at everyone, wags his tail.

117 JABBIE 117  
<PANTS> <CURIOUS CHIRP>

119 JABBIE 119  
<EXCITED YIPS>

Rosa passes the crown to Harry.

120 ALICE 120  
King Harry. You pick the main  
course.

121 MARCH HARE 121  
(considers)  
Hmm... Orange is the new orange.  
And carrots are in this season. So  
let's go with...Carrot Hot Dogs.

Hattie and Fergie turn to each other with excitement.

122 HATTIE 122  
Hold the scone! Did he say... hot  
dogs?

123 FERGIE 123  
And carrots?!

They hold hands and jump up and down.

124 HATTIE/FERGIE 124  
Our favorite foods!

They drop to their knees and bow.

125 FERGIE/HATTIE 125  
Long live, King Harry!

Harry pageant waves at them, passes the crown to Cheshire.

126 ALICE 126  
And for dessert?

Cheshire flies around the kitchen, then next to Alice.

127 CHESHIRE CAT 127  
Off the top of my head? I'd say  
King Cake and Queen Cake of course.

128 ALICE 128  
Nice choice, King Cheshire. Now we  
have a meal fit for the whole  
realm. Monarchs, are you with me?

Everyone nods eagerly.

129 ALICE (CONT'D) 129  
Then let's bake!

INT. HEARTS PALACE - DINING ROOM - LATER

The feast is laid out on the table. Everyone is gathered around with the Queen at the head.

She looks around and notices no one is wearing the crown.

131 QUEEN OF HEARTS (CONT'D) 131  
And who do we have to thank for  
this delightful dinner?

132 ALICE 132  
All of today's rulers worked  
together to pick the menu.

Alice presents a covered tray to the Queen, lifts the lid revealing the crown.

134 ALICE 134  
Like a good leader, you always do  
what's best for Wonderland. We'd be  
honored if you would put the crown  
on and rule again.

Rosa takes the crown and puts it atop the Queen's bowed head.

136 ROSA 136  
I hereby crown you - Queen  
Valentina Corazon---

137 QUEEN OF HEARTS 137  
Oh, there's no time for that. For  
my first royal order, for the good  
of all of Wonderland - dig in!

Everyone happily tucks into the banquet as we... **FADE OUT.**